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**Faculty Recital Series** 

#### 2011-2012 Season

Monday, November 14 Sara M. Snell Music Theater 7:30 PM

## Brian Carter, Cello Julie Miller, Piano

### The Romantic Cello

Sonata No. 1 in E Minor, Op. 38 (1862-1865) Allegro non troppo Allegretto quasi Menuetto Allegro Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

#### Intermission

Sonata No. 2 in F Major, Op. 123 (1905) Maestoso, largamente Scherzo con Variazioni Romanza. Poco adagio Allegro non troppo grazioso Camille Saint-Saëns (1835-1921)

Hungarian Dance No. 1 in G Minor, WoO.1 (1869) Allegro Molto Johannes Brahms (1833-1897) Arr. by Alfredo Piatti

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Brian Carter is currently serving as a Visiting Assistant Professor of Cello at the Crane School of Music. He maintains a professional and academic career in Greensboro, NC. From 2006-2009, he taught at Guilford College, a private liberal arts institution. At Guilford, he taught cello, coached chamber music groups, and conducted a small string ensemble. He also maintains a thriving private studio at Szymanski Studios in Chapel Hill, NC.

He has earned a BM from the Crane School of Music, in Potsdam, NY; a MM from UNC-

Greensboro, and is currently a DMA student at UNC-Greensboro. Brian's main teachers have included Mathias Wexler, Brooks Whitehouse, and Alexander Ezerman. Brian is also a certified Suzuki teacher, and specializes in starting beginners.

As a performer, Brian has served as the principal cellist of UNCG's University Orchestra, and is currently the assistant principal cellist of the Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra. He is also a section member in the Salisbury Symphony, and is a regular section substitute for the Greensboro, Winston-Salem, and Roanoke (VA) Symphonies. As a recitalist, Brian has been a featured artist for the Triad Chamber Music Society, The Winthrop University (SC) Guest Artist Series, The Crane School of Music Guest Artist Series, The Mosaic of Music Series at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Greensboro, and Concerts at St. Stephen's in Durham, NC.

In March 2011, Brian served as the Assistant Director for the Elizabeth Cowling Celebration at UNCG. This three-day festival drew cellists from the southeast, and represented the continuation of the series of celebrations founded by his former teacher, Brooks Whitehouse. Previous celebrations have honored Luigi Silva, Bernard Greenhouse, and Laszlo Varga for their contributions to the Cello Music Collection at UNCG's Jackson Library.

In order to ensure a pleasant concert experience for both performers and audience, please refrain from:

- Entering or leaving during the performance.
- Bringing food or drink into the concert hall.
- Taking flash photographs.
- Using electronic devices (please remember to turn off your cellular phone, pagers and watches that chime on the hour).

Children who are able to sit quietly during the performance are welcome to our concerts.

Tape/video recording of performances is strictly prohibited without permission of the performers!

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